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SUBJECT: DK AVIATION GROUP

1. IN NOVEMBER 1974 THE DK AVIATION GROUP, A FIRM OF AIRCRAFT BROKERS, ARRANGED THE PURCHASE FROM AMERICAN AIRLINES OF A BOEING 720B ON BEHALF OF ALYEMDA, THE NATIONAL AIRLINE OF THE YEMEN PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC. EXPORT DOCUMENTATION WAS APPROVED AND THE AIRCRAFT IS NOW IN YEMEN.

2. THE SAME BRITISH FIRM OF BROKERS HAS NOW ORDERED SPARES FROM ALLEN AIRCRAFT INC., 2050 TOUHY AVENUE, ELK GROVE VILLAGE, ILLINOIS 60007. TO AVOID DELAY, AS THE PLANE IS GROUNDED IN YEMEN, DK AVIATION AT THE REQUEST OF THE AMERICAN SUPPLIER (ALLEN), HAS ASKED EMBASSY WHETHER FC-843 COVERING SPARES MAY BE SIGNED BY AN OFFICIAL FROM THE EMBASSY OF THE YEMEN PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC IN LONDON.

3. THE ORIQUINAL SALE OF THE BOEING WAS HANDLED BY MR. GEORGE SAMBORN OF AMERICAN AIRLINES, 633 THIRD AVE., NEW YORK. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR EARLIEST REPLY. SPIERS

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